RESPONSES TO STAFF'S SECOND SET OF DATA REQUE **VOICE & DATA COMPANY (DOCKET NO. T-2061**)





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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION) DOCKET NO. T-20613A-08-0420
OF MERCURY VOICE & DATA COMPANY)
FOR APPROVAL OF A CERTIFICATE OF)
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO) MERCURY VOICE & DATA
PROVIDE RESOLD LOCAL AND LONG) COMPANY'S RESPONSES TO
DISTANCE AND FACILITIES-BASED) STAFF'S SECOND SET OF
LOCAL AND LONG DISTANCE) DATA REQUESTS
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES)
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Mercury Voice & Data Company ("Mercury" or "Applicant"), hereby responds to Staff's Second Set of Data Requests sent by Commission Staff on December 30, 2008.

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

Applicant reserves the right to amend, modify or supplement the information contained in these responses as new information becomes available. Additionally, these responses are without prejudice to Applicant's right to use or rely on any subsequently discovered information or facts, or information or facts omitted from these responses as a result of mistake, error, oversight or inadvertence.

RESPONSES

Please make certain that each numbered item and each part of the item is answered completely. In order for Staff to continue with its review of this application, the following information must be submitted:

Page 37 (section 2.5.6 and page 38 (section 2.5.7) of Mercury's ACC Tariff No. 2 specifies the Applicant's advance payments policy and deposit policy for its local exchange customers. On page 14 (sections 2.5.3 and 2.5.4) of Mercury's ACC Tariff No. 3 states that the company does not collect deposits or advance payments from its interexchange customers.

- CA-2.1 How does Mercury plan to ensure that any customer advances and/or deposits that may be collected from its potential local exchange customers will be based on local exchange service only?
- Response: Applicant intends to collect advances and/or deposits for local exchange service only and will base the amount of the deposit solely on the local service charges.
- CA-2.2 Please describe in detail the processes or procedures that Mercury will have in place to ensure that advances and/or deposits will not be collected from its long distance customers.
- Response: Applicant allows customers to select a long distance carrier. If the customer selects a long distance provider other than Applicant, then the other long distance provider will separately bill the customer for all long distance charges. If the customer selects Applicant as the long distance provider, there is no charge available in Applicant's billing system for an advance and/or deposit for long distance service. Any advance or deposit collected for local service is based solely on local service billing. Therefore, any advance and/or deposit collected could only be collected for local exchange service.

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